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This amendment is supplemental to that filed January 3, 2007. The election of the invention of Group III claims (38, 41-43, 45 and 47) was done with traverse because it is believed that there was an error in the election/restriction. More specifically, it is believed that further restriction of Group III claims should have been an election of species and not simply a further restriction. This is because claim 38 is a generic claim, thus if the noted Sequence ID No. 74 is allowable, the generic claim should be allowed.

It is also advised that any non-elected claims may be amended during prosecution in order to maintain the right to a rejoinder.

It is noted that claims 38, 41, 45 and 47 are currently amended.

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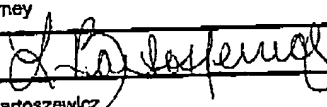
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